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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention relates to methods and compositions useful in the treatment and prevention of Hepatitis C virus (HCV) infections and the symptoms and diseases associated therewith. In particular the present invention relates to DNA vaccines comprising polynucleotide sequences encoding HCV proteins, and methods of treatment of individuals infected with HCV comprising administration of the vaccines of the present invention.